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VICTORIA, B. C., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1922

BRITISHERS IN EGYPT MURDERED

Series of Attacks by Extremists Reported

Proclamation on Firearms; Constables Armed

London, Feb. 20.—A dispatch to The London Times from Cairo says a series of attacks on Englishmen during the past week are to continue, and are recently attributed to irresponsible Egyptian parties that an Englishman would be shot daily until the return of Said Zagoul Pasha, former Minister of Justice, who some time ago was taken into custody by the British authorities. The dispatch adds that the attacks are no doubt that these attacks are directed against Englishmen, irrespective of their position or character.

A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Cairo says that a proclamation has been issued under martial law ordering all possessors of firearms to render them within four days. In case of refusal to do so persons holding firearms are subject to court-martial and the penalty on conviction is death.

The dispatch adds that the police are now carrying rifles and have been ordered to deadly summary with persons attacking them.

R. A. Brown Killed.

R. Alfred Brown, Controller-General of the Egyptian Ministry of Education, who was shot last week, died on Saturday.

Two officials, who unsuccessfully tried to capture Mr. Brown's assailants, were fired on.

Michael Jordan, a British engineer employed by a French firm, who was found on Friday morning unconscious in a street as a result of a bullet wound, died in a hospital on Saturday.

Deputy Chief Peach of the mechanical engineering department of the state railways was shot near his home at Maturiyeh yesterday. He was wounded in the leg.

Paper Suspended.

Cairo, Feb. 20.—The Zagolouist organ, Mahrussa, has been indefinitely suspended for publishing inflammatory articles.

A reward of £5,000 has been offered for the arrest of recent assailants of English residents.

PEAVY QUESTIONED IN MURDER PROBE

Further Efforts to Solve Los Angeles Mystery

Los Angeles, Feb. 20.—Remarks attributed to Henry Peavy, negro houseman for William Desmond Taylor, in which Peavy claimed a motion picture actress is the slayer of Taylor, caused the Sheriff's office to send out again for the houseman to-day with the intention of interrogating him further.

Taylor, well-known motion picture director, was shot and killed here nearly three weeks ago and close questioning of all those known to have knowledge of the case led to nothing definite.

Questioned Frequently.

Peavy has been questioned repeatedly by police, sheriff's deputies, the District Attorney, private investigators and others. He has not at any time in these official statements either named or implicated the actress said to have been mentioned by him in recent conversations.

The Sheriff said he placed little credence in the new report, but was going to look into it because he wanted to leave nothing undone in the efforts to solve the mystery of Taylor's death.

Taxi Driver.

A search is being made for a taxi-driver who disappeared from his home here about the time Taylor was murdered.

The man, it was said, had driven Taylor to his home on several occasions and it was believed he might have visited the director the night he was slain, the detectives said.

The driver's disappearance was reported to the police several days ago by his wife, who expressed bewilderment and alarm at his absence. The officers, in looking over his whereabouts, discovered three bullets of the calibre of that which killed Taylor and a cap similar to that worn by a man several witnesses reported having seen about the Taylor apartment, the night the director was slain, they said.

The parents of Mabel Normand, film actress, one of the last persons to see Taylor alive, are expected to arrive from New York to visit their daughter.

BIGGER ARMY IN INDIA IS URGED

Gen. Rawlinson Says Forces Are Inadequate

Delhi, British India, Feb. 20.—General Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, commander-in-chief of the British troops in India, explained the military situation to English and Indian journalists on Saturday and gave his reasons for the necessity of having armies of greater strength both for the frontier and internal defence.

General Rawlinson declared that the tribesmen, if they should combine, could raise 130,000 splendid and well-armed fighters. He said the British troops had been decreased from forty to twenty-one regiments. Last year the convention was held in Ottawa, but the invitation was held there three years ago, the invitation of Winnipeg was accepted.

ENGLISH PASTOR GOES ON STRIKE FOR TWO WEEKS

Blackpool, Eng., Feb. 20.—The Rev. Adam Hamilton, the pastor of one of the Congregational Churches here, has announced his intention of going on strike for two weeks. He said the empty pews in his church showed there was something wrong either with his sermons or the church.

Dr. Baker Exonerated Nothing Found to Back Charges of Wrongdoing

Shaw Report Presented; Pooley's Lawyer Admits To Royal Commission No Evidence Given To Substantiate Attacks on Game Board.

The sensational charges made dramatically on the floor of the Legislature during last session by R. H. Pooley, member for Esquimalt, against Dr. A. R. Baker, chairman of the Game Conservation Board, have been proven to be false, according to the report of the investigating Royal Commission made public to-day by the Hon. J. D. MacLean, Acting Premier.

The report exonerates Dr. Baker from all the Pooley charges of wrongdoing. In a number of cases the report points out that H. W. R. Moore, counsel for Mr. Pooley against Dr. Baker, admitted before the Commission that there was no evidence to substantiate the charge.

MADE DETOUR TO SEE THE MUSEUM

Northeast Lumber Dealers in City Yesterday

Conduct Investigation of Soft Woods

Making a special detour in their journey, which when completed will "swing round the circle" of the United States, in order to see the Provincial Museum here, 69 members of the Northeast Lumber Dealers' Association spent three hours in Victoria yesterday afternoon.

The Association, which is an expansion of the New York State Lumber Dealers' Association, left New York State and has travelled by way of Omaha, Denver, Salt Lake City, Spokane and Seattle. The northern way will be routed by Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, Phoenix, New Orleans and Memphis.

To W. M. Patterson, treasurer of the organization, and director of the tour, a lumberman from Penn-Yan, New York, was due the visit to Victoria. He had been here before, and appreciated the value of a visit to this city, and particularly to the Museum. Here the special day journey from Seattle.

Mr. Patterson's Views.

In a statement to The Times he said: "This is no joy outing, though we combine some pleasure with the round of business. We are looking into the characteristics of 17 different kinds of timbers which handle and three different kinds of shingles. Mr. Patterson went on to say the question of scant dimensions, which he stated was causing a great deal of trouble between lumbermen on the two coasts of the United States, due to the different preparation of lumber in the soft and hard woods, by the finishing of the soft woods in the North Pacific mills resulted in cutting away so much of the dimension ordered as to reduce the value given for money paid. "We do not ask," he said "something for nothing, but for that measure we order." "I will do eventually," he said "standardization of lumber sizes throughout the continent."

Visitors Impressed.

Among those who visited the city were several who had not been west of Chicago before, and Mr. Patterson stated that they were greatly impressed with the permanency of the buildings, roads and institutions in the new sections of the Pacific Northwest, as a recognition of preparing for posterity.

Among the party were: J. Kearny of Syracuse, a newspaper man; Paul Collier, Secretary of the Association, and Mr. Daves, of New Bedford, Mass. It was explained that the organization began as the New York Association, and had gradually expanded to include the New England States with a corresponding change of title.

For the west, the southern states will be visited for the express purpose of looking into the southern pine and cypress situation, and later attention will be given to the hard wood.

The party while here was in charge of W. A. Cameron, who entertained the visitors at the Empress Hotel.

MUNICIPAL UNION IS TO MEET IN WINNIPEG IN JULY

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—The executive of the Union of Canadian Municipalities at a meeting in the city hall Saturday decided that the annual convention this year would be held in Winnipeg the latter part of July.

Last year the convention was held in Ottawa, but the invitation was held there three years ago, the invitation of Winnipeg was accepted.

WORLD LEAGUE TO ORGANIZE GENOA MEETING

Paris, Feb. 20.—The French Government is willing to leave the entire question of organizing the international economic conference at Genoa to the League of Nations, it was said this morning by a high official with reference to a report from London that this idea was gaining ground.

ULSTER RELEASED PRISONERS TO-DAY

Irish "Republican" Football Players Set Free

Fear of Border Clashes Is Dying Down

Belfast, Feb. 20.—The members of the "Irish Republican Army" football team captured at Dromore last month were released from the Londonderry jail this morning in conformity with the order issued last night by Viscount Fitzalan, the Viceroy.

It is understood that the men were released in motor cars sent by the Irish Free State border in Donegal by British troops. They were accompanied on the remainder of their journey by Commandant Shields of Donegal, Sinn Fein liaison officer.

Calm Down.

Belfast, Feb. 20.—The situation in Northern Ireland is considerably calmer than it has been at any time during the past year and the fear of a clash on the southern frontier has diminished. The rival forces, however, retain their positions along the border and hope is expressed that the next few days will see them withdraw.

Meanwhile the joint liaison committee has understood to-day to gain the support of two officers of the Ulster special constabulary from the Northern Commission, with headquarters at Clother: the southern commission comprises two British and two Provincial Government officers, with their base at Monaghan, and the Ulster commission, with headquarters at Derry, has two officers of patrol, keeping in touch with each other and using their influence where it may be needed in the interest of peace.

It is stated that the decision to release the Irish football players from the Londonderry jail was reached when the Northern Government informed the British Government that it had abandoned its intention to prosecute the men.

The Beaver Policy.

The Commission, however, criticizes Dr. Baker's administration, especially that of the Board's beaver policy, pointing out that it gave opportunity for suspicion to be aroused.

Magistrate Shaw took up one after another each charge made by Mr. Pooley and others and then refers to the evidence presented on that point to the Commission.

At the time this report was made public to-day it was recalled that the Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, then Attorney-General, explained to the House of Commons yesterday as Commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police that the Government was anxious to give its critics the benefit of any doubt and had chosen Magistrate Shaw because he was formerly a strong party worker for Mr. Bowser.

The full report of the Royal Commission signed by Magistrate Shaw is to the Hon. the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council:

"Sir:—By Order-in-Council approved on November 21, A. D. 1921, under the provisions of the 'Public Inquiries Act' I, Henry Curtis Shaw, as Commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, was appointed as a magistrate by the Government to inquire into the conduct of Albert Richard Baker, as Chairman of the Game Conservation Board, and more particularly in respect of the charges of malpractice alleged to have been carried on by the said Albert Richard Baker as chairman of the Game Conservation Board, and more particularly in respect of the charges preferred by Robert Henry Pooley, member of the Legislative Assembly for Esquimalt, against the said Albert Richard Baker, as specifically set out in the said commission; and (Concluded on page 7)

FIVE YEAR OLD CHILD GIVES ALL

Splendid Example For Save The Children Fund

(Concluded on page 7)

NEWSPAPER READ BY BLIND GIRL

Optophone Successfully Tested in Jersey

Rays of Light Converted Into Musical Sounds

New York, Feb. 20.—Rays of light converted into harmonious musical sounds yesterday were demonstrated to be a medium by which totally blind persons may read books. During the test which took place in Jersey City, Miss Margaret Hogan, a blind girl, read the front page of a New York newspaper by means of an "optophone," the invention of Professor E. Fournier d'Albe, former instructor of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Ten years have elapsed since Professor Fournier d'Albe first brought his idea before the London Optical Convention.

It was announced to-day that Miss Hogan had proved the practicability of his machine.

The optophone projects light

means of a fine photographic lens

through a series of oblong perforations in a revolving disc and reflects its back to be transformed into sound by selenium cells.

\$90,000 FIRE IN ALBERTA TOWN

Calgary, Feb. 20.—A fire at the Canadian Pacific Hotel in the city of Lethbridge, Alberta, last night, caused a loss of \$90,000.

The fire started in the kitchen of the hotel.

It was fully extinguished by the fire department.

Previously acknowledged \$80,000.

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ARE CHINESE DENIED EQUAL RIGHTS IN COURT?

As the result of a raid conducted by Chief Fry and posse on premises as the Oriental Club, west side of Fan Tan Alley, Saturday afternoon, twenty Chinese were arrested to-day in the police court on charges of being found in a common gaming house. Police Commissioner W. E. Staneland, who followed the posse into the premises, was in court this morning to hear the result of the raid.

Mr. Moresby appeared for the accused, and obtained a remand until Tuesday week, pleading not guilty for all the accused.

Mr. Moresby suggested to the court that the Attorney-General's opinion be sought on the general question of bail, so that prisoners could be held over to receive bail without waiting in jail until the next day, in such cases where bail could normally be granted. Mr. Moresby protested against the treatment of the Chinese arraigned in the box, holding that Chinamen were not receiving treatment that was accorded to others.

"I am pleased to report among a certain class," he stated, "known as the Chinese, that efforts are being made to oppress them. That should not obtain in a British court of justice."

The accused were then remanded.

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COMMANDS ACTION

The Chamber of Commerce directors unanimously adopted a resolution to-day endorsing the action of Premier Oliver and G. G. MacLean, in their fight at Victoria to realize the realization of freight rates and pledging the support of the Chamber in the movement. A telegram conveying the sense of the resolution will be forwarded to-day.

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce upon the reading of a letter from Brett and Ker at to-day's luncheon.

Boating, swimming and other outdoor sports could be encouraged and local sportsmen, as well as visitors would have an ideal resort if a comprehensive scheme were carried out, it was stated.

The City has already demonstrated its willingness to such a scheme, carried on by applying rates of \$5.00, it was stated.

The directors decided to leave the matter to the Development Group to co-operate with a joint Municipal committee which already has the matter in hand.

Mr. Clayton has a series of views he explained to The Times, which have not been seen anywhere else except at the illustrated lecture meeting he has held in various parts of the Old Country and Canada. The views were given him by various people of high command. They tell the wonderful story of the Canadians at Ypres and other places.

Mr. Clayton is touring Canada in the interests of the "Toc H" movement, which had its origin in Flanders, and which is now making great progress in the Old Country.

On the old roll of the padre carries with him are the names of two men he is anxious to see while on the Island. They are S. Lane, who gave his address as Government Street, Victoria, and Rev. W. Elliott, father of Lieut. F. Elliott, who was killed. The father's address was given as Cumberland. After his lecture this evening Mr. Clayton will take the night boat for Vancouver, where he will address the Canadian Corps tomorrow.

Mr. Clayton is a forceful speaker, and the illustrations he uses are also of great interest.

Trade Matters.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has written the Chamber of Commerce asking for co-operation with the department traveling representatives and for suggestions as to improvement of the service.

R. W. Mayhew thought it would be well for the Department to have a representative on the Canadian Merchant Marine in order to promote Canadian exports; also that better facilities for meeting the Department's representatives on tour.

Lot Cultivation.

The Amalgamated Veterans' Association outlined a scheme for the cultivation of all vacant lots as a means of relieving unemployment.

A copy of the resolution laid before the City Council was submitted and the directors considered the matter of great importance. A committee will go into the whole suggestion and bring in a report on the matter.

Traveling Shows.

The evils of traveling shows of questionable reputation, and the necessity for protecting Canada from an invasion of such aggregations, which were now quite numerous in the Eastern States, were also outlined in a resolution laid before the City Council.

The resolution was adopted and the directors considered the matter of great importance. A committee will go into the whole suggestion and bring in a report on the matter.

Automobiles were furnished to

the members of the order.

The members of the order in this city were invited to hold their annual picnic this Sunday at Friday Harbor and the committees selected from the different lodges for the purpose of selecting grounds, will consider the invitation.

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Transportation Workers Urge
Action Against High Price

London, Feb. 20.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The threat of the Transport Workers' Federation, numbering 1,000,000 members, to go "dry" because of the alleged unreasonable price of beer seems to be seriously meant. A circular has been sent to the various branches of the Dockers' Union suggesting that if the proposed beer boycott should operate at once, Brewers' profits and high taxation are responsible for the present price of beer. Brewing firms' shares have risen to more than four times their value in 1914, and shares in kindred concerns which were unsaleable before the war now command good figures.

The taxation on the consumption of 30,000,000 barrels of beer in 1914 was

£13,000,000. The present taxation on 26,000,000 barrels is £123,000,000.

WORKERS' PARTY
STATES ITS AIMS

Toronto, Feb. 20.—The first convention of the Workers' Party concluded last night with a mass meeting. The delegates were in session all day Saturday and Sunday, and a Dominion executive was elected.

That the social and economic upheavals which have recently occurred in Russia and elsewhere have been mere curtain-raisers to worldwide revolution was a claim made at Saturday's session.

In presenting its report, the programme committee declared that the duty of fostering a revolution in Canada had fallen on the shoulders of the Workers' Party. Complete abolition of capital and the establishment of a Federal workers' republic were stated as the ultimate aims of the party.

LABOR LEADER
FIGHTS EXTREMISTS

J. H. Thomas Condemns Communists in Britain

London, Feb. 20.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Publication of details in his possession regarding the meeting by Russian Communists in Britain was promised by J. H. Thomas, Labor leader, speaking in Sheffield Saturday night. Mr. Thomas denounced the methods of the Communists.

Referring to the by-election in Clayton on Saturday, which resulted in the return of a Labour member, Mr. Thomas said this victory was a sure indication that if the tactics of the Communists could be countered, the Labor Party would, sooner or later, and in his judgment, sooner, be called to govern the country.

The by-election for the Parliamentary seat of the Clayton division of Manitoba, which was to fill the vacancy due to the death of Edward Hopkinson, resulted in a severe reverse for the Lloyd George Government. J. E. Sutton, Labourite, polled 14,562 votes, as against 11,038 for Flanagan, the Unionist candidate.

**100 HORSES AND
BIG BARN BURNED**

Indianapolis, Feb. 20.—The large brick barn owned by the Indiana State Fair grounds here and about 100 valuable horses were burned yesterday, causing a loss estimated at \$200,000. Three horsemen also were burned, two of them seriously, in attempting to rescue the animals.

Harvey Busby, owner of Lord Busby, a valuable pacer, which was burned to death, narrowly escaped after being seriously burned, when trapped in the stall with his horse.

REUBEN BIGLAND
FOUND NOT GUILTY

Horatio Bottomley's Charges
Not Proved in Court

London, Feb. 20.—(Canadian Press) The jury, after two minutes' deliberation at the Shropshire Assizes on Saturday, found Reuben Bigland not guilty of the charges brought against him by Horatio Bottomley, M.P., of inciting three persons to blackmail him during a by-election in 1920. Bottomley failed to enter the witness box to support his case and this fact was used against him in the summing up by the judge.

Bigland, after examination in the box, made amazing allegations relating to his connection with Bottomley. He declared he had helped Bottomley to launch a bogus lawsuit in which Bottomley obtained a £500 judgment before Mr. Justice Darling, who heard the present case, of £500. Bottomley was said to have paid Bigland £100.

Summing up the present case, Mr. Justice Darling remarked on Bottomley's refusal to enter the witness box, and also the fact that he had not set a word in contradiction of the almost incredible story about a lawsuit.

Bottomley's Attitude

An interview with Bottomley appeared in the Sunday Illustrated, for which he was paid £100. He declared that the Shropshire Assizes was a foregone conclusion after the Judge's attitude in summing up. He declared he had not entered the witness box because his counsel had advised him that none of the allegations were true. He was charged with incitement to blackmail and that he should await the conclusion of the inquiry into the Victory Bond Club. Also that he did not desire to give the defense an opportunity of "throwing more mud."

"VARSITY WEEK"
GREAT SUCCESS

Great Enthusiasm and Excitement Marks Students' Big Programme

Vancouver, Feb. 20.—(Special to The Times)—"Varsity Week," the great event in the U. C. University Year, is proving a wonderful success. Starting with a mass meeting last Monday, the programme of "Pep Week," as the students call it, has been running along smoothly ever since. On Tuesday the tug-of-war competition was held. Wednesday saw the basketball and oratorical contest. Thursday was devoted to a "theatre night," while Friday and Saturday were featured by athletic competitions.

"Theatre Night" was the most exciting single item of the Varsity Week programme. Hundreds of students on that night invaded the Orpheum Theatre en masse, as they do every year, added enthusiasm to the audience and several items to the programme. Chief of these was an act featuring Robinson Crusoe on his cannibal island. A chorus of college men, camouflaged in excelsior skirts to look like dusky South Sea belles, added to the effectiveness of the number in which the zealous cannibal chief was succeeded by the insatiable kettles of Crusoe. Unfortunately for Crusoe his own spouse appeared before he could annex the cannibal chief's wife. This and other items which the students staged had the packed theatre convulsed with laughter and were received with typical college enthusiasm by the students present.

Orators Meet

The annual oratorical contest of the Men's Literary Society this week was productive of public speaking well above the usual standard. A. M. Hurst, Arts '22, who was awarded the first prize in 1920, spoke on "Free- dom of Thought" for his theme. He presented his subject in a very forcible manner and undoubtedly deserved the first place and the gold medal which goes with it. His ready wit and much aplomb were by no means lacking. Second place was awarded to A. F. Clarke, also of Arts '22. Other speakers were H. Yonemura, G. Coope and G. H. Williams.

Inter-Faculty Debate

The inter-faculty debate between Science and Agriculture was won by Agriculture. Agriculture took an affirmative on the resolution, "That the Adoption of a Policy of Free Trade would be Beneficial to Canada." Agriculture was represented by C. Barton and T. Wilkinson, the latter of Victoria. For Science, A. H. Finlay and E. E. Bramston-Cook were the speakers.

Tug-of-War Exciting

The inter-class tug-of-war is causing a great deal of enthusiasm as the final draws near. Science '23 and Science '24 are favorites for the final draw. The draw between Science '23 and Arts '25 was an extremely hard one, both teams being on the verge of a collapse when the engineers gave the winning heave.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY

LAW DISCUSSED

French Parliament Asked to Suspend Measure

London, Feb. 20.—(Canadian Press) Reuter's Paris correspondent cables that the Chamber of Deputies has voted to suspend the eight-hour day law for five years. The measure was originally introduced by M. Clemenceau, then Premier, in gratitude to the working men for their war efforts. It is asserted that the result soon showed that France's industrial enterprise was being sadly handicapped thereby.

Agents of coal miners, however, declare that the output of coal is greater now than when the miners were working nine hours a day. Other trade unions are resisting the proposed suspension of the eight-hour day law, and in support of their opposition to the proposal they maintain that the eight-hour day means that more men are unemployed than if the hours of work were lengthened.

**SEPARATE SCHOOL
PLAN IN ONTARIO
DECLARED WRONG**

London, Ont., Feb. 20.—Rev. J. W. Graham, educational superintendent of Methodist Churches in Canada, in a sermon here yesterday said the granting of the demand of Roman Catholics of Ontario for separate secondary school finances out of the public funds would tend to divide the community. The measure was originally introduced by M. Clemenceau, then Premier, in gratitude to the working men for their war efforts. It is asserted that the result soon showed that France's industrial enterprise was being sadly handicapped thereby.

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**CLIMBED TO TOP
OF MT. FUJIYAMA**

Two Britishers Made Winter Record in Japan

Tokio, Feb. 20.—Major Orde Lees, a British balloon and glider expert, has just completed a trip to the summit of Fujiyama, the celebrated mountain in southeastern Japan, and it is asserted he is the first European to have reached the top of the mountain in winter. The mountain is 12,395 feet above sea level.

Major Lees was accompanied by H. C. Irish of London, and accomplished his trip to the top of the mountain in forty-eight hours. The last 4,000 feet was covered in slippery ice.

Major Lees was a member of the Shackleton expedition in 1914, and Mr. Irish are members of the British air mission to Japan.

**TO MAKE SOOKE
LAND OF PURE BREDS**

Banks Agree to Finance Calf Scheme There

Sooke farmers have decided to go in for pure-bred stock, it was announced Saturday by A. Kohout, secretary of the Sooke Farmers' Institute.

Pure-bred Jerseys will be introduced to the farmers of the district through club sales. Mr. Kohout has completed arrangements for the financing by the banks of the pure-bred importations.

The idea is to bring in pure-bred stock worth between \$75 to \$125 each depending on the pedigree. Delivery will be made in April and payment will be made within twelve months.

Remarks:—The feeling that distinguishes the loser.

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British Columbia is to back Mr. Kohout in his work of introducing pure-bred stock. Government experts and others believe the Sooke scheme is so important that it is to be brought up before the annual convention of the Jersey Breeders' Association to be held in Vancouver on February 22.

"Millions of dollars are being lost to the farmers of this country each year because of poor stock," said Mr. Kohout.

"You see farmers working hard with poor stock and they wonder why they do not make money."

It sometimes takes a lot of persuasion to get them to see the advantages of pure-bred stock."

Others who are backing the move in Sooke to make their district a pure-bred district are: A. Glinn, George Cook, C. A. Holgesen, Major J. C. Cook, C. A. Holgesen, A. P. Raymond and L. Glinn.

Jud Tunkins says he notices the man who talks about the good old days is just as partial to taxicabs and electric lights and motion pictures as anybody.—Washington Star

AWL.

Mr. Wood uncovers the reason for much waste in business when he says many advertising managers could save their employers a lot of money if they rejected the barnacles of publicity. The first and only great advertising medium is the Daily Newspaper.

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THE BAKER REPORT.

Some time in the dim and distant future it may be possible to hold a session of the British Columbia Legislature without the introduction of something that is meant to serve the purpose of an entertaining diversion. It may even dawn upon the less serious minded membership that the people do actually appoint them to take their share in the conduct of public business. It is not to be supposed that this newspaper would tolerate a return to conditions which preceded the advent of the Oliver Administration and regard the absence of an intelligent opposition as a boon and a blessing because it would eliminate the possibility of acrimonious debate. But it does object, as every intelligent voter objects, to such an enormous waste of time over petty details and political muck-raking that add neither to the knowledge of the world nor the mental stature of those who seem to take a delight in the pastime.

During the last session of the Legislature the member for Fort George and the member for Esquimalt selected the Game Conservation Board and its presiding officer as the joint target for their own particular sallies. Mr. Perry used a good deal of eloquence in his endeavor to convince the House and the general public that Dr. Baker was thoroughly incompetent to perform the duties of his office. Mr. Pooley out-Wilsoned Wilson in a series of fourteen definite charges which included almost everything that could be reasonably preferred against a public official. After much rhetorical display on both sides of the House, references to the virtues and shortcomings of the leading figure in the Game drama, as to whether a Committee of the Legislature or a Royal Commission should absorb the funds that would be necessary to test the merits of Mr. Perry's and Mr. Pooley's complaints it was finally decided to authorize the latter.

What is the sum total of Commissioner Shaw's impartial inquiry? The people of British Columbia have paid to learn that practically none of the fourteen charges differed from the usual type of scandal-mongery upon which the single-track politician depends to justify his public existence in the eyes of his own supporters. It was discovered that Dr. Baker had been injurious in a number of instances. It was discovered that his administrative ability had been at fault. But the report of the Commissioner places no credence whatsoever upon the more pointed charges and their implication of wilful dishonesty in serious particulars. What is there to set against this finding?

Dr. Baker has been a sportsman all his life and he conceived the idea that he would like to serve the Province in some capacity in which his knowledge of game conditions could be employed. He was appointed to direct the Game Board without salary. He filled the position without emolument for a considerable time and it was not until a new branch of the public service—the wisdom of whose creation and efficacy of which we very much question—was established and its administration added to that of the Game Board that Dr. Baker was paid a salary at all. So, that it amounts to this: The suspended official believed that his knowledge of and interest in game equipped him with an ability to run the Department concerned. The report of the Commissioner qualifies the claim. For the rest of it is another sample of how political gossip interlarded with plenty of personal prejudice can be decked out in the garb of a first rate scandal.

SIR DAVID WATSON.

Canadian journalism in general and the newspaper field of Quebec in particular have lost a prominent figure through the death of Major-General Sir David Watson, K. C. M. G. The passing of this distinguished member of the Canadian press will be the more acutely felt by reason of the fact that it has taken place at such an early age. Although the late Sir David had only just passed his fifty-first milestone it has been his pleasure and privilege to accomplish much in the professional realm of his choice. His journalistic experience was almost exclusively limited to The Quebec Chronicle, but his newspaper instincts and his personal influence were constantly reflected in his useful work in behalf of the Canadian Press—Canada's own national news-gathering agency.

Just as Sir David rose to the top in the profession of his earlier choice so did his interest in the military affairs of the country assist him to pave his way from a Colonelcy at the head of the Second Battalion of the First Division to a Major-Generalship in command of the Fourth Canadian Division in France. As a successful journalist and an experienced soldier he will be remembered throughout the country in general. As a fine type of Canadian citizen he will be especially remembered by those who knew him intimately.

MORE CO-OPERATION.

Whatever the Chamber of Commerce and kindred progressive organizations may undertake towards stimulating rural development on the Southeastern part of Vancouver Island they should succeed in obtaining the full support and co-operation of the people throughout the surrounding community. Sectional differences and inter-municipal wrangles may provide an entertaining diversion from time to time; but as long as there is no real counter movement for a higher and more lucrative purpose the irritant will remain. There should be no difficulty in ironing out any misunderstanding that may exist between the producer and the middleman and the consumer. These three agencies form the beginning, the middle and the end of every form of industrial motion. Their co-operation should be assured just as their interdependence is obvious.

THE CLAYTON VERDICT.

While the victory of the Labor candidate in the Clayton division of Manchester is undoubtedly a reverse for the Coalition Government we are afraid that Mr. H. Thomas places a little too much importance upon the figures when he regards the return of a supporter of his own party in such a highly industrialized locality as a sort of new hope for a Labor Government. The dispatches to hand do not indicate whether the Unionist candidate was an anti-Treatyite, but otherwise a supporter of the Lloyd George regime, or whether he was an out and out Coalitionist. If the Irish question entered into the contest at all and revealed him as anything approaching a Carsonite there would be nothing whatever remarkable in the result of the poll. Were he a supporter of the pact the fact remains that it would be unique for Clayton to refuse to send a Labor representative to Westminster sooner or later. On the other hand there have been sufficient expressions of public sentiment in by-elections recently to enable the Government to face a general appeal with reasonable hope of victory. Signs of disruption of the Coalition are not reflected in the recent votes in the Commons.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Alberta may get a colony composed of eleven thousand former members of the Royal Irish Constabulary. They have earned a real change and the neighboring Province should benefit by this large addition to its population.

When Mrs. Asquith reached Chicago to-day she took occasion to drop a few remarks about the United States and the people who live there. Her first shot—and that will do—is a fair sample of her advertising programme: She says American

railroads are an abomination. This is scarcely the way to be introduced to a drawing room through the medium of a free pass.

Now the Game Board controversy is closed by the report of Commissioner Shaw perhaps the Government will make other arrangements for its future. If co-operation with the Provincial Police was lacking before that ought to be one of the first things to make sure about now.

Supposing Germany had won the war, what a juicy morsel Canada would have been for any surplus millions who had a desire to leave the Fatherland! There would have been no barriers and we shall have to do without barriers under the much happier circumstance which leaves the country in our possession.

WANT INQUIRY TO PRECEDE MOVEMENT
Native Sons of Canada Depreciates Immigration
Would Have Canadians in U. S. Repatriated First

A resolution which will doubtless receive considerable attention has been adopted by the Native Sons of Canada, No. 1, on the question of immigration.

It deprecates additional immigration backed by governmental assistance until the Canadians who now reside in the United States have been encouraged to return to Canada. The resolution expresses the opinion "we have reason to believe that investigation will prove that 60 per cent of those now receiving charitable aid from the various municipalities of British Columbia are not of Canadian birth."

The resolution is worded as follows:

"Whereas articles appearing in the local papers state that the Honorable the Minister of Lands for the Province of British Columbia, has appeared before public and semi-public bodies advocating the policy of immigration whereby one thousand British agriculturists and their families are to be settled on land near Stuart Lake in Northern British Columbia, one of the reasons for this action being given that it will assist in solving the acute agricultural situation in our midst, which stated or in our opinion is not justified or borne out by statistical facts;

A Large Policy.

"And whereas articles appearing in the Vancouver B. C. daily papers claim that the immigration policy of the Canadian Pacific Railway is to bring some thirty thousand immigrants, and that of the Salvation Army, ten thousand, from Great Britain, the movement at this time, not in our opinion in the best interests of our people generally or the community as a whole, as the advertisements of this corporation and organization would have the public believe;

Nationality of Indigents.

"And whereas we have reason to believe that investigation will prove that 60 per cent of those now receiving charitable aid from the various municipalities of British Columbia are not of Canadian birth;

"Therefore, it is resolved that we, the members of Victoria Assembly, No. 1, Native Sons of Canada, respectfully request the Government of the Dominion of Canada and the Province of British Columbia to investigate the same, to ascertain the opportunity and encouragement given those native born Canadians and old time residents of Canada who were forced by economic conditions and cheaper immigrated labor to go to the United States of America to seek a living, to return to the land of their birth and choice;

No Financial Aid.

"And it is further resolved that the said Government be requested to give no financial or financial assistance to the above mentioned organizations to bring immigrants to Canada until every scheme has been exhausted in an effort to have those Canadians return to their own land when conditions warrant it;

"And it is further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Governments of the Dominion of Canada and the Province of British Columbia and the press."

GEN. J. L. BIGGAR DIED IN MONTREAL

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Returning to Canada he was appointed to the Canadian Headquarters Staff as Deputy Adjutant-General of the Army Service Corps and in this capacity organized the Canadian Army Service Corps.

In 1904 he was appointed Director-General of Supplies and Transport in Canada and was made Quarter-master-General of the General Staff.

Besides his British decorations General Biggar was a member of the Order of St. Saba, and was awarded the Legion of Honor by France in recognition of his services in the war.

General Biggar was the author of several military books, the most important of which were the A. S. C. Manual and Hints for Quarter-masters.

SIR DAVID WATSON BIED IN QUEBEC

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Sir David's division was in the thick of the fighting in the 1918 advance of the British and Canadian armies.

Honors.

Sir David was mentioned in dispatches seven times. He was created a C. B. in January, 1917; a Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George in the same year, and knighted in 1918. He held foreign honors.

Sir David Watson was born on February 7, 1869, the son of William and Jean (Grant) Watson. He was educated in Quebec public schools

and entered the service of the Chronicle Printing Company, Quebec in 1891, and had been continuously engaged in active journalism with that institution ever since. His marked ability singled him out for special promotion and he became successively manager, secretary, general manager in 1904 and managing director in 1906 of the company, in which he finally held a large controlling interest. The Quebec Chronicle is the oldest newspaper in Canada, having been founded by General Sir David, then British Governor of Quebec, in 1764.

In 1909 he was a delegate to the Imperial Press Conference, held in London, England.

An Athlete.

He was a remarkable all-round athlete in early youth.

He served in Quebec on the conclusion of five years' active service. Sir David resumed the direction of The Quebec Chronicle and interested himself in financial matters, becoming at different times an officer or director of a number of important financial and industrial concerns.

For two years until the recent change of Government at Ottawa he was chairman of the Quebec Harbor Commission.

Sir David Watson married Mary daughter of Mrs. Wesley Browning Queen in 1889 by whom he had three daughters, the eldest of whom pre-deceased him.

He was a member of the following clubs: Garrison, Quebec; Royal Automobile, London, England; St. James, Montreal. He was past grand master of the A. F. and A. M. for Quebec and Three Rivers.

Sir David Watson was a visitor in Victoria May 14, 1920.

London Comments.

London, Feb. 20.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Many sympathetic references appear in the newspapers here to the death of Major-General Sir David Watson, former commander of the Fourth Canadian Division in France.

No soldier of distinction from Canada during the war outrivaled himself less than General Watson and the full story of his fine record in France probably will never be revealed. His gentle, modest bearing when in England left pleasant memories in many circles.

Reference is generously being made to Sir David's creditable record as a newspaperman.

A LOSS TO JOURNALISM.

Toronto, Feb. 20.—The Globe this morning says the death of John T. Hawke, Editor of The Moncton Transcript, removed an outstanding figure from the ranks of Canadian newspapermen.

A few weeks ago a gentleman brought a picture to us to frame. Because we were able to carry out his instructions to the letter he has entrusted us with the framing of his valuable collection of thirty-six rare prints and etchings.

Price was a matter of no consequence to this patron, but nevertheless we invite you to compare our prices.

G.W.V.A. BAND CONCERT PLEASES

Successful Benefit Concert Is Held at Capitol

The sixteenth concert at the Capitol last evening, one of the twenty of the Winter series given by the Great War Veterans' Association here, was a most attractive and interesting affair. Many features combined to make the occasion a thoroughly enjoyable one. Besides the fact that it was a "special benefit" evening, all the artists were among the most popular and distinctive of the time. The band was equipped with the abundant experience of the concert platform. There was plenty of genuine applause, too, throughout the well-selected programme, and the building was almost filled to its capacity by an appreciative audience.

The Soloist.

As was to be expected, the sixteen quartette work by Miss Eva Hart, Mrs. Baird and Messrs. Gillian and Maris Hale, dominated the programme. Not often is it that four voices blend perfectly in quality and tone, but in this instance each one was quite distinct, and in the treatment and rendering of the two numbers "Madrigal" from Tom Jones, and the quartette from Liza Lehmann's song cycle "A Persian Garden," their success was considerable and met with much favor from those present.

Miss Eva Hart was in splendid voice, and as usual, whenever she sings, again received long continued approbation. The lovely song "Come Sweet Morning," arranged by A. F. L. P. has given her voice added distinction. She has given the solo in a brilliant style and interpretation which also was "Cuckoo," a cleverly written song, in both of which was it again very manifest that this favorite soprano is a singer of rare merit. The audience was not satisfied with the solo, however, and demanded an encore, which was given with great enthusiasm.

Mrs. Robert Baird has not sung better for many a long day. She held her audience in rapt attention and her rich vocal contralto voice, her musical intelligence and excellent diction made a definite impression.

At the conclusion of "Picnic," the singer met with much applause, to which she responded with Jacob Bond's delightfully quaint "Just a Wearing For You."

J. O. Gillian is one of those singers born with sedition. His tones are of excellent quality, clear and perfectly produced. "Where E'er You Walk," from Handel's "Semini," was given a most satisfactory reading and showed him possessed of the greatest velvety. His phrasing and intonation were with good taste. His reception was unmistakably sincere, and for his recall he gave Josephine McGill's "Duna."

Another singer, too, not often heard in Canada, is Maris Hale. Miss Hale has a unique and varied experience in concert work, and dramatic productions, and when it was announced that he would appear with his associates of last evening, a real treat was anticipated.

Mr. Baird was irresistible and at the conclusion of his numbers was met with storms of applause. His two numbers were (a) "A Song of Thanksgiving" (Allison), and (b) "Long Ago in Alcalá," the latter with the permission of Major Sir James Cockburn, O. C. No. 3 Co., R.C.G.A., in a rollicking manner. Maris Hale in response to the prolonged applause gave "Green Grow the Rushes, O," with delightful freshness and freedom of manner.

All the band members were strikingly well and Bandmaster James M. Miller and his forces seemed to share in the prevailing enjoyment and enthusiasm. Particularly well received were the "Roi D'Yvetot" overture, with its wonderful oboes, the "Joyce" chansons, characteristic of the Slav folk song, and the "Reminiscences of Wales," in which is included the always popular air, "God Bless the Prince of Wales."

Mrs. A. J. Gibson had plenty to do last evening, but again gave ade-

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There is a neatness expressed in the new model Jersey Suits for Spring wear, now on display in our mantle department that will appeal to every woman. Suits of excellent grade jersey cloth, with tuxedo and roll collars, plain or inverted pleated backs, and all smartly belted and with pockets. The shades featured include paddy, brown, saxe, sand and heather mixtures. Practical suits that are wonderful value at

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Mantles, First Floor

Women's and Children's Knit Underwear at Lower Prices

Children's "Zimmerknit" Bloomers, elastic at waist and knee. In colors of white and navy; sizes for ages of 2 to 12 years. On sale at a pair

65¢

Women's Silk Lisle Bloomers, elastic at waist and knee. Excellent wearing qualities. Priced according to size at, a pair, \$1.50, \$1.65 and

\$1.75

Women's "Zimmerknit" Combinations of fine knit cotton, low neck, no sleeves, loose and tight knee, lace trimmed; size 36 to 40. This well known make at this special value of, a suit

\$1.25

—Knitwear, First Floor—Phone 6896

Nurses' Uniforms and Maids' Dresses at \$3.90

Uniforms of excellent grade white linen and gabardine. They are made in various styles and offered at, each

\$3.90

Maids Dresses of black cotton gabardine; and made with or without white collars and cuffs. Special at, each

\$3.90

—Whitewear, First Floor

Women's Hosiery in Choice Qualities at Low Prices

Women's Pure Silk Hose, with double lisle soles and heels; in shades of bronze, brown, black, white, navy, grey and polo; regular \$1.50. On sale at

98¢

Women's Glove Silk Hose, with double feet and pointed heels, in shades of black, navy, grey and white; regular

\$4.25 value. On sale at

52.5¢

Women's Dropstitch Lisle Hose, in shades of navy, brown, grey, white and black; regular \$1.25 value. On sale at

75¢

Women's Cashmere Hose, in black only; regular \$1.25. On sale at a pair

59¢

—Women's Hosiery, Main Floor

Girls' Middies, \$1.90 and \$1.50

Girls' All-White Middies in Balkan style, with two buttons at each side, short sleeves, trimmed with three rows of braid and lace at front; sizes for ages of 6 to 14 years. On sale at

\$1.50

Girls' All-White Long Middies with long sleeves and trimmed with braid; sizes for ages of 6 to 12 years. On sale at

\$1.90

—Children's, First Floor—Phone 6896

Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles Tuesday Specials

Emulsified Cocoanut Oil; regular 50c for

19¢

Shaving Sticks; valves to 45c, for

25¢

Floral Bath Soaps; regular 15c cakes, 6 for

63¢

Bishop's English Fruit Salines; regular \$1.00 for

50¢

Large Packets Finest Epsom Salts; regular 25c. 2 for

25¢

—Main Floor

JUST ARRIVED Fine Quality of RATINE

On Sale at \$2.95 a Yd.

All-Wool Ratine, 54 inches wide, in shades of peach, rose, apricot, nile, reseda, wisteria, fawn and Lovat shades; also in checks of sky and fawn and nile and fawn. A material suitable for Spring suits, and big value at, a yard

\$2.95

Dress Goods, Main Floor

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS At Reasonable Prices

Men's English Oxford Shirts with collar band, coat style and double soft cuffs. Shown in colors of black and white, blue and white, and mauve and white stripes. All sizes. Special at, each

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\$2.75

Same as above but with turn-down collar attached. Special at, each

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\$2.95

Men's Blue Duck Working Shirt, cut large in the body, turn-down collar and pocket. This will be found a hard wearing shirt at a low price. Special at, each

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\$1.25

Men's Khaki Twill Working Shirts with a soft flannel-like finish back. Same style as above shirts. Special at, each

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\$1.85

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820



Men's Velour Hats at \$4.50

Genuine Velour Hats, in the latest becoming styles. The shades are dark green, kress, dark brown, pearl grey, dark grey, and black. All sizes. A few broken lines all to go at, each

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\$4.50

Hats, Main Floor

A Bed, Spring and Mattress, Complete, at a Bargain Price

One Brass Bed, with two-inch posts and five upright fillers, a woven wire spring on steel frame and an all-felt mattress. All on sale for

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\$36.40

"Simmons" High Grade Steel Beds, with cane centre panel and continuous posts. Each is fitted with a very high grade coil spring and Ostermoor mattress. All complete for, \$74.50

—Bedroom Furniture, Second Floor

Two Brass Beds, with 2-inch posts and 1-inch fillers and fitted with coil spring and all-felt mattress. Complete for, each

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\$45.50

"Simmons" Square Tubing Beds, finished in walnut, mahogany or ivory. Each bed has "No-Sway" spring and is fitted with a Spencerian mattress. The complete bed on sale

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\$42.90

—Bedroom Furniture, Second Floor

Baby Carriages, Go-Carts and Sulkies at Lower Prices

One English Model, Grey Enamel Carriage, with hood and foot well; body hung on straps and springs, and with high handles. Special at

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\$46.00

English Model Baby Carriage, with dark green upholstery and hood and finished in dark green enamel; easy riding springs, and foot brake. On sale at the low price of

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\$38.50

One Strong Sulky—tan finish, with tan hood. It has a heavy underframe and rubberized wheels. On sale at

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\$12.50

One Black Enamelled Sulky, with strong, steel frame, jointed handles, rubberized wheels and hood. Special at

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\$10.50

A Handsome English Model Carriage, finished in black and gold enamel upholstered in dove grey and with black hood; hung on straps to steel springs and with foot brake at

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\$48.50

Furniture, Second Floor



Women's Sweaters

100 Per Cent. Wool—Travellers Samples

At \$4.95 to \$14.95 Each

100 Per Cent. Wool Sweaters in many different styles including pull-over, coat and Tuxedo styles. All favorite colorings and very special value at \$4.95 to

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\$14.95

Sweaters, First Floor

Duchess Satin and Silk Georgette at Low Prices

36-Inch Duchesse Satin, woven in a close texture and in the newest shades: canna, bonfire, verdigris, wall flower, rubelite and burnt orange. On sale at a yard

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98¢

40-Inch Silk Georgette of excellent grade and superior wearing qualities. Shown in shades of rubelite, lupine, periwinkle and orchid. Excellent value at, a yard

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\$2.25

Silks, Main Floor

Laces at Low Prices

Real Hand-Made Cluny Laces, for corset covers and Brassieres, a lace that will wash well and give great satisfaction in wearing qualities; widths vary from 1 to 4 inches. On sale at a yard

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Real Filet Laces, hand made, suitable for many purposes and greatly in demand; one-half to six inches wide. Selling at, a yard

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\$1.49

Filet Medallions, in large assortment featuring many designs and sizes. Selling at, each

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71¢

Laces, Main Floor

Embroidery Trimming Braids, in sky, pink, lavender, navy, red and white; 3 yards to a piece, the piece

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20¢

Safety Pins, in assorted sizes, 36 on a card, a strong, well finished pin. Selling at, 2 cards for

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25¢

Main Floor

Sheffield-Made Stainless Steel Knives

The Best for Table Use

We have a large assortment of Stainless Steel knives, of excellent Sheffield make, now on hand. They are very neat knives with high grade zylonite handles. Knives that give years of satisfactory service.

Dinner Size Knives, half dozen at

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\$7.50

Dessert Size Knives, half dozen at

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\$6.75

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Bitter Oranges, medium size, per dozen 30¢
Large Sunkist Lemons, per dozen 30¢
Large size, per dozen 60¢
Large Grapefruit, 3 for 25¢
Finest B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lb. paper bags for \$1.45

Local Fresh Made Creamery Butter, made in Victoria; 3 lbs. for \$1.10
Fresh, Crisp Soda Biscuits, 2 lbs. for 35¢
Swift's Premium Hams, lb. 45¢
Campbell's Soups, all kinds; 3 tins for 50¢
Saanich Clams, large tins. Price, each 15¢
White Crest Clams, large tins; 2 for 25¢
Van Camp's Soups, assorted kinds; 2 tins for 25¢
Fresh Made Ginger Snaps, per dozen 15¢
Oyster Crackers, fresh and crisp; 2 lbs. for 35¢
Pacific Milk, large tins; three for 33¢
Carnation Milk, large tins 15¢
Small tins, 2 for 15¢
Vantoria Pork and Beans, No. 1 tins; 4 for 20¢
Libby's Asparagus Soup, 3 tins for 25¢

SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY
Golden Loaf Flour, milled in B.C. from No. 1 hard wheat: 49 lb. sacks for \$1.75
New Zealand Strained Honey in quart sealers; regular 68¢ value for 58¢
Crystal White Soap, the finest laundry soap made; large cakes; 4 for 28¢

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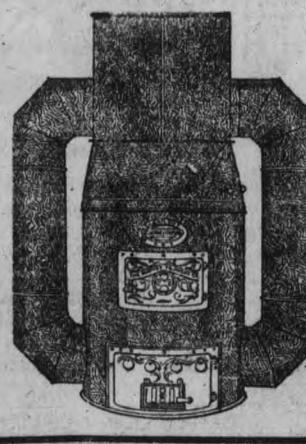
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SOCIAL PERSONAL

Dr. J. B. Williams, Dublin, Ireland, who is on his way to Arizona, is staying at the Hotel Westholme, with

Neil, J. McDonald, G. McColley and C. Dagger.

Mr. and Mrs. Sew, who have been visiting in the city, are returning on Tuesday to their home at Cowichan.

Miss Kathleen Whittome and Miss Fitzgerald, of Duncan, have been in town for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Lennox, of Rockland Ave., was hostess at a bridge party on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Malcolm Gillespie, 1025 Monterey Avenue, has been called to Vancouver owing to the illness of her son.

Mrs. Stewart Robertson, of Belmont Avenue, was hostess at a bridge party of five tables on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. New Pollock, after spending a few days in town, have returned to their home on Salt Spring Island.

Mrs. Down, of Oak Bay, was hostess at the tea hour on Friday afternoon to a number of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee, who have recently come from Vancouver to live, have taken up their residence on Lee Avenue, north.

Dr. Tremayne, of Prince Rupert, was a guest in the city over the week-end, and was registered at the Empress.

Arrangements have been made for the holding of an "Endowment Ball" by Victoria Lodge No. 1399, Loyal Order of Moose. The event will take place on Wednesday, March 8, in the place of Alexandra Hall, and a capable committee is working to make it the event of the season, as far as Moose done is concerned.

The net proceeds will be devoted to the Mooseheart Endowment Fund, a fund being raised through the various branches of the order in aid of the care of the children of departed Moose.

A considerable sum has been subscribed by voluntary contributions of the members, and it is anticipated that it will be greatly augmented as the result of the above and other similar affairs which are being staged simultaneously throughout the whole of the North American continent.

The Royal Order of Moose have in "Mooseheart" one of the finest institutions of its kind in the civilized world, and at the moment there are about 1,100 orphans there, in addition to a large number of aged and infirm members of the order.

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It is hoped some day to establish another Mooseheart near Victoria or elsewhere on Vancouver Island.

Having such a worthy object, in view, the local lodge looks earnestly to getting the support of the public, and it might be stated that cards and other game will be played, and those who do not dance. Tickets can be obtained from Tighe & Spencer's, Yates Street; D. Spencer's Music Department, and W. D. Taylor, 1307 Blanshard Street.

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AT L. O. B. A.
LODGE MEETING

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THE DUNGEON OF JEWELS
Part II.

Princess Marie and her Mother, the Queen, did not think about being shut up in a dungeon, they were so glad to be hidden safely from the soldiers that had come to take them prisoners. For a few minutes they did not move, but sat on the floor clasped in each other's arms.

It was the Princess who first began to move the room. A tiny stream of light which came through a very small crack showed a strange light. The walls of the room were covered with rubies which were set closely together.

Jumping up Marie ran to one side of the room and touched the stones. One very large one when she touched it proved to be the spring that opened a door in the wall and another room filled with a dull blue light made the Queen forget her fears and those who were with her.

At the close Mr. George Dyke gave a short address. Miss Smith, Arthur Webster, and Mrs. Longbourne, were all the accompanist of the vocal numbers.

The next recital by Miss McGregor will be devoted to sacred music. Selections will be read from the poems of Miss Annie Clarke.

Y. W. C. A. Tag Day Success.—The Board of Directors of the Y. W. C. A. feel very gratified at the result of Saturday's Tag Day, by which the sum of \$151 was raised towards the building of a new building. There were 147 taggers out during the day, including an elderly enthusiast of 77 years of age. Among the many organizations and individuals which the committee wishes particularly to thank are the Canadian Chapter, I. O. D. E., and the Jewish Women's Society, for lending boxes; all those who assisted with the collecting, and the public for their generous response. The committee in charge of the tag day was composed of Mrs. Bishop, the president; Madam Beckwith, Niven, Colpman, Miss Hall and Miss de Wolfe.

THE TEA KETTLE
The End of a Perfect Day—Supper here.

When at last they were able to look upon the gorgeous sight Marie and her Mother found that the walls of the room were covered with diamonds which sparkled and gleamed from all sides.

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hears and Marie knew the soldiers had found the secret opening in the door and were in the room. The Queen, clinging to Marie, said,

"We are lost," cried the Queen, clinging to Marie.

Marie did not answer. Instead she took her Mother by the hand. "Come," she said, hurrying into the sapphire room, which gave their faces a weird glow. "Close your eyes and do not move no matter what happens. Your life and mine depend on it."

With their backs to their sides and faces turned toward the open space Marie and her mother stood as the soldiers, who had battered down the iron door, entered the Dungeon of Jewels.

Their cries of victory were soon changed to those of fear when their eyes fell upon the two strange figures. Thinking the place was being searched by the King and Queen, they were unearthing the bodies they had turned and fled.

Now did they stop when they were outside the palace but crying to those who were on guard that the evil ones were below all the army with their King took themselves off as fast as they could speed their horses.

In their haste the soldiers forgot the King and after hearing the last words of the Queen made his way to the dungeon where Princess Marie and her Mother were, still afraid to leave.

The King soon held the Princess and the Queen in his arms. And now that the jewels have been found, he said, "The Queen can be restored to her former strength and majesty and then we shall fear no one."

The King and Queen lived in peace and comfort the rest of their days and Princess Marie married a Prince who was brave and good and ruled with her the Kingdom when she became Queen.

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"We're eloping in a rakish little yellow roadster," she again exclaimed when they were finally winding their way through the traffic on their way to 29th Street. "That's ever and ever so much more romantic than a state-ly Rolls-Royce."

To himself Baxter was saying, "It will be good to her. She'll be sorry. God help her to keep her always like this." And the prayer came straight from his heart, the first prayer he had uttered in years.

CHAPTER II.

Margaret and Baxter took up their life in his studio apartment on Eighth Street. She continued to be a butterfly. Baxter loved her and was amiable and accomodating for care-free life.

There were always informal guests, the theatre, cafes, and all that things the girl had been accustomed to having while living with Judith Kars.

To be sure, there were stretches when they had very little money when they denied themselves almost everything. Then would come a burst of prosperity. Baxter would sell a play or story, and at those times money was with them, free at all.

At first Margaret remonstrated with him, but she soon learned that it was extremely difficult for a woman to make changes in a man's habits or ideas, particularly when the woman is twenty years younger than the man.

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It was Baxter who suggested this plan.

"I'm going to work like the very devil until I get this manuscript out, Margaret girl," he told her one day about two months after they were married. "So suppose you pack your little satchel and have a good time with your mother."

"But, won't you miss me, John?" she had questioned.

"Of course I'll miss you. That's exactly why I want you to go. We're going to break all records and be honeymooners for life."

She went, and Judith was delighted.

So far Margaret knew her

marrying him. Judith either praised him when the two women were together and discussing him, or she said nothing at all.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

G. W. V. A.—The regular monthly meeting of the local branch of the Great War Veterans' Association will be held to-night, at 8 o'clock, in its club quarters, Bastion Street. Prior to the general gathering there will be a meeting of the executive council, commencing at 7.30 o'clock.

Judgment Reserved.—Judgment was reserved by His Honor Judge Lampman in the County Court today, in the action of Lawrence versus Sam Kee. J. R. Green appeared for the plaintiff, with F. C. Elliott for the defendant. The action was one on a dispute over a milch cow.

Get School Board Estimates.—The City School Board's annual estimates will be laid before the City Council to-night. The estimates include \$3,000 for extraordinary expenditure and the Council can, if it wishes, make this the subject of a by-law to be submitted to the ratepayers of the city.

Amalgamated Veterans.—The Amalgamated Veterans' Association will hold its next monthly meeting to-night, at 8 o'clock, in the Trades Hall. Board of Trade, when special matters will be brought forward for discussion. A meeting of the executive council of the organization will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the secretary's office, 127 Pemberton Building.

Divorce Granted.—Before Mr. Justice Murphy in the Supreme Court to-day the divorce action of McCallum versus McCallum came on for hearing. W. J. Taylor, K. C. appeared for the petitioner, Mary Margaret McCallum, while A. D. Maclean acted for the respondent, Arthur H. K. McCallum. A decree absolute was granted.

Margaret Jenkins P.T. Association.—Dr. W. J. Sippell will give a lecture on his trip to Europe, and the battlefields of the Great War at the regular monthly meeting of the Margaret Jenkins Parent-Teachers' Association, to be held at the schoolroom at 8 p.m. The lecture is particularly attractive, and is illustrated by views, many of which were taken personally by Dr. Sippell. Tickets may be obtained from any of the pupils or at the door.

Musical Recital.—The musical recital which is to be held by the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church to-night commencing at 8.15 at the church, introduces many popular items of organ, piano and instrumental solos. Mr. Jesse Longfield will be heard in some organ selections. The programme holds a list of musical items, numbering up to twelve of which the last will be the 13th psalm, Mendelssohn's setting sung by the choir, with Mrs. Jesse Longfield reading as soloist.

Consider Street Cars.—The City Council will take under consideration to-night the advisability of joining with other cities in sending a delegation to Ottawa to present a petition to the B. C. Electric Railway Company for a federal charter. The Council will have before it a report on the subject from City Solicitor H. S. Pringle. Alderman Patrick and Alderman Gillespie, who represented Victoria at a conference of municipal representatives from all over the world in Vancouver last week, called to consider the Electric Railway Company's plans.

McKenzie Avenue P.T. Association.—McKenzie Avenue Parent Teachers' Association held their regular meeting Friday evening in Garden City Hall. D. L. McLaurin, of the Victoria Normal School, delivered a very interesting address on "Wash and Wash again," which was much appreciated by all present. After a vote of thanks to Mr. McLaurin the general business was disposed of.

The crowded condition of the school and the deplorable state of the playground, which was a great inconvenience to parents and teachers, were discussed. After the meeting adjourned the Programme Committee served refreshments.

Fined for Drugs.—Taken by the police in a raid on premises known as the Darton Club, over 554-558 Fisgard Street, Joe, charged on two counts in the city police court on counts on both counts. Charged with being in possession of opium, Joe was fined \$200 and \$5 costs, or in default three months. On a second charge, that of being an alien, and found in unlawful possession of a shotgun, Joe was fined \$20 and \$2.50 costs. The gun was made of auto shotgun of 2 gauge, was ordered confiscated. A default order of one month was made optional on the second conviction.

Police Cases.—As a result of activity among the police regarding the parking by-law, six car owners were charged and fined \$5 each, for parking cars in front of theatres in police court to-day. Two other motorists were fined \$5 each for reversing the direction of their cars at other than a street intersection. Hansen, charged with being drunk in public, was fined \$50, or thirty days. Laura Martin, charged on remand with being in possession of drugs was remanded until Friday, R. C. Lowe meanwhile undertook to communicate with the Federal authorities as to the possibility of bringing a prisoner to give evidence on behalf of the accused. Ethel Newbigging, charged with vagrancy, was remanded until Tuesday. Lee Kim, charged on re-

President Welcomed Back.—Miss Lottie Baird was warmly welcomed when she returned to the Kintuck Club at its luncheon in David Spencer's to-day after an absence through illness of nearly three months. An excellent address on "The Educational Value of the Moving Picture" was given by Mr. Watson, who was for many years in the Censor's office in Vancouver, and gave some interesting details concerning the mechanical side of the business.

Esquimalt Whist Drive.—The third of a series of Saturday night Whist Drives was held last Saturday evening, February 18, in Nelson Hall 527 Nelson Street. Mrs. Rose being the chairman of the executive committee, the following were the results: 1st lady, Mrs. Walter Fletcher; 2nd, Mrs. A. Henderson; (consolation) Mrs. Sadler, 1st gentleman, Mr. George J. Cook; 2nd, Mr. J. Drummond; (consolation) Mr. H. Rogers, Councilor, Porte des Forts. The convenor, Mr. G. J. Cook, desires to thank the following business firms for their generous gift of the prizes: The Western Supply Co., Mr. Greig Neilson and Yates Co., also Mr. R. Rans for the loan of chairs, and for the refreshments, which were served to the guests. The proceeds will go to a family in distress, who have been resident in the township for nearly thirty years. Next Saturday, by request, will be in the nature of a Military Five Hundred. Ladies will bring refreshments and after the drive a dance will follow.

Held Many Party.—A very successful invitation party was given at the Orange Hall last night. Messrs. Wm. Crothall, Frank Eborall and Percy Critchard entertained a large number of friends, about 75 being present. The hosts were very materially assisted by their wives who served the delicious refreshments. A splendid program of music and songs was rendered by the following: Mr. M. L. Watson, Master W. Crothall, Miss Vera Critchard, Mr. Charles Askey, Mr. Frank Eborall, Miss Edith Critchard, Mr. Wm. Crothall and Mr. Percy Critchard. The accompanists were: Miss Gertie Askey and Miss Edith Critchard. The music for the dancing was in the capable hands of

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and J. E. B. Dickson, manager of P. Burns, Ltd., here. Elaborate plans for the reception of the guests are to be carried into effect, using the services of the members offered voluntarily in many cases. Saturday, March 4, is planned as the date of the housewarming.

Senior Men Meet.—A pleasant social was held at the Y. M. C. A. by the Senior Business Men's Club. A programme of speeches and songs by the various members provided excellent entertainment and business was also discussed during the evening. A formal meeting of the committee which was elected: President, E. R. Russell, B. C. Nicholas, T. Moryson, R. P. Clark and E. W. Clayton, Secretary.

Dramatic Society.—The Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society will hold its usual meeting on Wednesday evening at the Little Theatre. Mr. James Hunter will again occupy the chair, after an absence in the East, and after the business session there will be an attractive programme of music and sketches. It is hoped there will be a full attendance of members, as some announcements regarding the future productions of the Society will be made.

Missing Woman.—The Salvation Army has been asked to try and locate a Mrs. James Draper, nee Sarah Johnston; was living at Strathcona Ranch, Westholme, B. C. Victoria. She is described as aged 20, height 5 feet 5 inches, black hair, brown eyes, dark complexion. She was born in Orillia, Ont. Her husband is very anxious for her to return home. Anyone knowing her whereabouts kindly inform Major R. Smith, telephone 5848, or write 529 Johnson Street.

St. Saviour's to Stage Play.—Preparations are well under way for two plays, to take place in Semple's Hall, Victoria West, on Wednesday and Thursday. Plays staged by St. Saviour's Young People's Association in the past have been a big success, and it is hoped that these plays will attract a large crowd. The proceeds will go towards the piano which the young people of St. Saviour's recently purchased for use in their schoolroom. The orchestra has selected an excellent programme of music to play acts.

Crowd at Concert.—A large gathering attended the regular community concert at the Drill Hall, Saturday evening last. The feature of the evening was a display of physical drill to music by thirty of the P. P. C. L. I., under Captain J. H. Carvosso, M. C. The "Pats" were heartily cheered. In a basketball game between the Colonials and the Knights of Columbus, the latter were the victors.

Hospital Auxiliary.—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Jubilee Hospital will be held at the Nurses' Home on Wednesday at 2.30.

Saanich Central Ratepayers.—There will be a meeting of the Central Saanich Ratepayers' Association on Friday evening at Tolmie School.

Lake Hill Women's Institute.—A military five hundred will be held on Tuesday evening, February 21, in North Dairy school, Lake Hill, 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Lake Hill Women's Institute.

Bishop Critch Chapter.—All members are requested to attend the annual meeting of the Bishop Critch Chapter to be held in the headquarters I. O. D. E. rooms, Jones Building, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m.

Laing Better—E. W. Laing, Secretary to the Hon. E. D. Barlow, Minister of Agriculture, returned to his office to-day after having been laid up in bed for the last week.

Will Hear Unemployed.—A delegation of the unemployed of Esquimalt district will be in session to-night at the Municipal Hall. The Esquimalt Police band gave the usual promenade, refreshments being served by the regimental canteen. After the concert and games, dancing took place to music furnished by the Fifth Regiment Band, and many availed themselves of the opportunity of enjoining a swim in the large arroyo pool.

Teachers to Hold Dance.—The Victoria and District Teachers' Association will hold a dance on Tuesday, February 28, in the High School Gymnasium, by kind permission of the Board of School Trustees, under the direction of the Minister of Education and Mrs. McLean, the Superintendent of Education and Mrs. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. May, Mr. and Mrs. G. Deane, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Heaton's five-piece orchestra has been engaged, while the caterers will be in the capable hands of Percy Payne. At the conclusion of the wedding day of Princess Mary, several special features will be included to make the event especially commemorative and enjoyable. The number of tickets is strictly limited so those wishing to attend should make early reservations; tickets may be obtained from any of the public school teachers.

Queen Alexandra Review.—The second regular meeting of Queen Alexandra Review No. 11, in K. of P. Hall, Esquimalt, under the direction of the Minister of Education and Mrs. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. May, Mr. and Mrs. G. Deane, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Heaton's five-piece orchestra has been engaged, while the caterers will be in the capable hands of Percy Payne. At the conclusion of the wedding day of Princess Mary, several special features will be included to make the event especially commemorative and enjoyable. The number of tickets is strictly limited so those wishing to attend should make early reservations; tickets may be obtained from any of the public school teachers.

Queen Alexandra Review.—The annual mess dinner of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment has been unavoidably postponed from Wednesday, February 22 until Wednesday, March 1. Members are requested to make a note of this change.

Arrange Whist Drive.—A whilst drive in aid of the Boys' Brigade will be held in the Trades Hall, Broad Street, on Saturday, February 22, at 8 o'clock. Eighteen good prizes will be given. Tables may be reserved with Mrs. Denyer, telephone 355 R or 480 Y.

Kiwians Will Lunch.—Ten-two-minutes addresses will be the feature of the Kiwians Club luncheon, to be held at the Dominion Hotel to-morrow, at 12.14 o'clock. Members of the club will be called upon to speak while the subjects will be chosen by the meeting. Mrs. Nickson, and Kiwian T. Scott will sing during the luncheon.

Hold Re-Union Swim.—Some sixty guests of the Kiwians Club will be gathered at the Arrowsmith Bath Store on Saturday evening last for the purpose of using the swimming pool. The event lasted from 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. and created much merriment.

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SENDS OFFICIALSSales Manager Pleased With
Development Here

"There is plenty of room in Victoria for the three oil companies now established." That is the message brought by C. W. Ralph, of Los Angeles, manager in charge of the stations of the Union Oil Company, on his arrival yesterday afternoon at the Victoria office of the Union Oil Company officials on a tour of inspection of the equipment and organization of the company.

Mr. Ralph was asked that question, and also the prospects of business in British Columbia, by The Times representative.

To the former query he declared that there were more sales in California than this city with four times the volume of interest, and many were for long terms. These conditions presented to your directors an attractive and unique opportunity for greatly adding to the future earning power of the company, and they have profited by the position to the fullest extent which the large funds at their disposal would permit.

"The average rate of interest earned during the year on the invested funds reached the high figure of 6.07 per cent, which in itself testifies to the care and forethought with which our investments have been chosen in the past.

"The growth of the company's assets is also noteworthy. They now are at \$129,372,127.33, an increase of \$14,532,682.85.

"The total amount of premiums, interest and other sources is far in excess of anything hitherto received. The amount \$31,107,149.16 is more than that of the preceding year by \$2,355,570.73. \$11,967,069.62 was paid to policyholders on their beneficiaries in death claims, matured endowments, profits, etc., which brings the sum similarly paid out since the company's foundation up to \$114,155,692.

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The remarkable progress of the Sun Life all through its fifty-one years of history was maintained during 1921, according to the annual report of T. B. Macaulay, president, and his fellow directors.

"New assurances for \$107,233,195.36 were applied for," says the president. "This is a small decline from 1920, which was, to a certain extent, a year of inflation. These figures, however, as compared with those for 1919, show that the normal ratio of steady and large-scale progress has been maintained. New policies were actually issued and paid for to the amount of \$90,030,035.66.

"The passing of the five hundred million mark has made the volume of assurances in force unusually impressive. After deducting cancellations due to deaths, maturities, surrenders and other causes, this figure now stands at \$536,718,130.53, representing an increase of \$50,076,895.36 on the preceding year.

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Financial News

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

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increased so largely, a much larger amount than was experienced in 1920 was anticipated. The death claims, however, were actually, \$319,279.45 less than during the previous year.

"A remarkably large number of high-class securities were available as investments during the year. These could be obtained at a yield high enough of interest, and many were for long terms. These conditions presented to your directors an attractive and unique opportunity for greatly adding to the future earning power of the company, and they have profited by the position to the fullest extent which the large funds at their disposal would permit.

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"The sum of \$1,849,089.95 has been paid or allotted in profits to policyholders, the remaining net surplus being \$1,263,919.10 over all assets and capital stock, a gain during the year of \$2,019,241.95.

"The large additions to assets and surplus justify the claim that the year through which the company has just passed has been the most profitable and satisfactory in the whole of its history.

"The members of the board who retire by rotation are:

"Representatives of the shareholders: S. H. Ewing, J. Redpath Douglass, Sir Herbert S. Holt and T. B. Macaulay.

"Representatives of the policyholders: Hon. Raoul Dandurand and John W. Ross."

Retail Market

Revised Feb. 20, 1922.

Vegetables

Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs. 25

Cauliflower, 1 lb. 25 to 40

Parsnips, 2 lbs. 25

Ashcroft Potatoes, sack 2.10

Edmonton Ribbarb, per bushel 20

Carrots, 1 lb. 25

Turnips, 10 lbs. 25

Beets, 9 lbs. 25

Mint, 1 oz. 25

Onion, 1 lb. 25

Parsley, bunch 25

Lettuce, 1 lb. 15 to 25

Celeri, 1 lb. 25

Onions, dry, 3/4 lbs. 25

Spanish Onions, 3 lbs. 28

Tomatoes, 1 lb. 50

Vegetables, 1 lb. 25

Fruit

Blue Goose, dozen 95

Jack Oranges, per box 60

Clementines, per box 60

Apples, per box 1.25 to 2.75

Oranges, 1 lb. 25 to 30

Grapefruit, Florida, each 20

California, 1 lb. 25

Lemons, 1 lb. 25 to 30

Prunes, 1 lb. 35

Cal. Red Emperor, 1 lb. 40

Nuts

Almonds, per lb. 35

Walnuts, per lb. 35

Cal. Soft Shell Walnuts, 1 lb. 48

Pecans, per lb. 35

Roasted Peanuts, 2 lbs. 35

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Butter, 1 lb. 40

Cottage, 1 lb. 45

Cowichan Creamery, 1 lb. 45

Salt Spring, 1 lb. 50

Grove, Creamery, 1 lb. 36

Grove, Creamery, Grade 1, 1 lb. 38

New Zealand, 1 lb. 38

Australian, 1 lb. 33

Oleomargarine, per lb. 36

Eggs, per dozen 40

Local, 12 oz. 35

Pulletts, 12 oz. 35

Cheese

B. C. Cheese, 1 lb. 33 1/2

Finest Ontario, 1/2 lb. 33 1/2

Finest Ontario, twine, 1 lb. 30

Stiltons, 1 lb. 30

Fish

Bloaters, 2 lbs. 25

Red Spring Salmon, 1 lb. 25

White Spring Salmon, 1 lb. 25

Mackerel, medium, scarce, 1 lb. 30

for Chihi, 1 lb. 35

Cod Fillets, per lb., 25c, 2 for. 45

Soles, 1 lb. 15

Kippers, 1 lb. 16

Puffin, 1 lb. 16

Kippers, 1 lb. 16

Fresh Herring, 1 lb., 10c, 3 lbs. 25

Crabs, 15c, 20c to 25c to 30c to

Shrimps, Black Cod, 1 lb. 20

Cod, 1 lb. 20

Clams, per lb. 05

Large Oysters

Olympia Oysters, pint. 05

Oolachans, per lb. 05

Meats

Local Grain Fed Pork

Pork, 1 lb. 40

Legs, 1 lb. 40

Shoulder Roast, 1 lb. 40

Pork Sausage

Prime Circle W. Lamb

Shoulders, 1 lb. 40

Loin, 1 lb. 40

Legs, 1 lb. 40

N. Y. Steer Beef, per lb. 40

Round, 1 lb. 40

Sirloin Steak, 1 lb. 42

Shoulder Steak, 1 lb. 42

Pot Roasts, 1 lb. 40

Oven Roast

Rib Roasts, 1 lb. 40

Porterhouse

Primal, 1 lb. 40

Mutton

Legs, 1 lb. 40

Shoulders, per lb. 40

Loin, full, per lb. 40

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FULFORD HARBOR WINS ISLANDS SOCCER TITLE

Fulford Harbor, Feb. 20.—The finals of the series for the possession of the McPhillip's Cup, emblematic of the soccer championship of the Island constituency, was played on Saturday afternoon between teams wearing the colors of Ganges F. B. C. and Fulford Harbor Athletic Association, and was won by the latter after a

great struggle by two to nil. The interest was so keen that a large imported football from Victoria, Mr. Locke handing the whistle to the satisfaction of both teams.

RELIABLY INFORMED

Tom—I met that popular Miss Bute last night. Ah, there's a woman for you! Dick—Not for me; I've already asked her.—Boston Transcript.

MARIO VALLE IS CHICKEN FANCIER

Famous Vocalist Is With San Carlo Opera Company

Mario Valle, the leading baritone of the San Carlo Grand Opera, which will be here next week, has a hobby to which he is even more devoted than he is to the operatic stage. It is the raising of chickens—the feathered kind. Valle, who is one of the best known baritones in this country and who has sung in Italy, Spain, France, Austria, Belgium, Cuba and South America, is like many other Italian singers, the owner of a farm.

This farm is situated on Long Island, and while originally intended to be a truck farm, Valle has turned it into a chicken ranch. On it he has conducted several unusual and interesting experiments with the object of increasing the egg capacity of his chickens especially during the winter months.

Valle has installed a special system of automatic electric lighting both in the chicken coops and in the chicken runs as well. Starting in the dark, the hens are turned on one hour before daybreak and keeps them burning until the sun is well above the horizon. Then at nightfall he again turns on the electric lights and keeps them lit until all hours of the night. Some fowls are said to descend below the western horizon. Unable to sleep in the bright glare of the electricity the hens continue to exercise themselves, and thus eat more than they customarily would during the winter months.

Valle has kept a careful record of the increase in the number of eggs obtained by his electric lighting system and has figured out that the plant has not only paid for itself but also pays yearly dividends of 80 per cent.

He frequently receives letters from various chicken fanciers throughout the country asking for details of his system. During the course of a season these inquiries come from as many as twenty different states and the tests have been several chicken fairs in which his lighting system has been installed with good results.

VICTORIA-BUILT SCHOONER TO SEA

Capt. H. C. Hansen Takes Out
Sailor Vancouver From
Everett

Seattle, Feb. 20.—In command of Capt. H. C. Hansen, owner of the vessel, who is returning to sea service for the first time in the last six years, the Norwegian schooner Vancouver will put to sea from Everett some time to day.

She is fully laden with lumber, having a load of over 1,000,000 feet of lumber destined for Callao. This

voyage will mark the first visit to the Peruvian port as well as South America by Capt. Hansen in many years. He expects to make a study of South American conditions with a view of furthering business relations between North Pacific West Coast ports and the Southern countries.

The schooner Vancouver was built by the Cholberg Shipyard at Victoria and is one of the smartest sailing vessels in North Pacific waters.

She was formerly owned by Capt. A. Hansen, no relation to the owner, who left Seattle last night on leave to visit his relatives and family in Norway.

Tom—I met that popular Miss Bute last night. Ah, there's a woman for you! Dick—Not for me; I've already asked her.—Boston Transcript.

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The submarine menace was responsible in the first place for the transfer of the big liners from the European zone to the trans-Pacific run. Heavy travel on this route was also a determining factor.

The ships operated by the N. Y. K.

line on this route in recent months have been carrying capacity lists of passengers, and bookings for Europe via Suez are exceptionally heavy.

The Shidzuoka Maru is a vessel of

6,268 gross tons; the Yokohama Maru, 6,147; the Iyo Maru, 5,962 tons, and the Kaga Maru, 5,847 tons.

All these liners have lately been operating in the Japanese company's European service.



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Ships Formerly on This Route
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After being operated for four years on the trans-Pacific route between Hongkong, Yokohama, Victoria and Seattle, the four large liners of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the Fushimi Maru, Suwa Maru, Kashima Maru and Katoro Maru, are to be withdrawn from this route and returned to the company's European service, operating between Yokohama and London via the Suez Canal. The withdrawal of these fine passenger and freight ships from the Pacific, which has been rumored for some time, is now confirmed, and cable advices from the Nippon Yusen Kaisha headquarters at Tokio. The big ships will be replaced on this run by the steamships Kaga Maru, Iyo Maru, Shidzuoka Maru and Yokohama Maru, all of which were operated in this service prior to the war, the Shidzuoka Maru and Yokohama Maru being particularly well known in the trans-Pacific service.

Kaga Maru First.

W. R. Dale, local representative for the Great Northern Railway, North Pacific agents for the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, has been advised of the new schedule. The S.S. Kaga Maru, sailing from Yokohama for Victoria and Seattle, March 17, will replace the S. S. Katori Maru. S. S. Iyo Maru, sailing from Yokohama April 1, will take the place of the Kashima Maru. S. S. Shidzuoka Maru, posted to leave Kobe April 22, will replace the Suwa Maru. S. S. Yokohama Maru, sailing from Kobe May 15, will take the scheduled sailing of the Fushimi Maru. The S. S. K. Maru is to arrive at this port will be the S. S. Fushimi Maru, due to sail from Yokohama February 24 and arrive here in March 9.

Over Four Years Ago.

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IMPORTANT MOVE FOR CO-OPERATION

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A big stride in the promotion of the co-operation movement between Victoria and the adjoining fruit and farming districts was made at the meeting held in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon when for three hours discussion was continued as to best method of promoting the development of the industries mentioned along satisfactory lines that will make marketing easier and assure the producers of a fair price.

The outstanding feature of the arguments advanced by the producers was that the business men of Victoria could help a lot if they would make it a point to handle local products in preference to imported goods.

Farmers are not making a living wage under present conditions, and something will have to be done, and that quickly to restore a more stable basis of business, one of the speakers pointed out.

Among the speakers were F. A. Pauline, M. P. P. for Saanich; Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M. P. M. B. Jackson, M. P. P. for the Islands, J. C. Pendray, president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, Reeve Watson of Saanich; Messrs. W. R. Dawes of Sidney, W. Wallis of Brentwood, H. E. Tanner of Keating, F. F. Higgins and R. Van Der Byl of Metchosin and others.

Messrs. Pauline and Tolmie spoke in an optimistic vein as to the possibilities of development of the industries if operated on a proper basis. Co-operation was needed they said, and a more intimate relationship between the producer and the city dweller.

Victoria's Number.

Dr. Tolmie pointed out the necessity of care in fruit packing and marketing. In this, after the orchards where spraying was one of the important necessities, British Columbia has built up a great reputation for her fruit, and it should not be jeopardized.

The opportunities for export to Great Britain were referred to. In connection with the dairying industry Dr. Tolmie advised farmers to keep up their standards of stock. One good cow would give as much produce as ten cows.

The agricultural exhibition was a great medium of promoting friendly rivalry which resulted in valuable education for the farmers, and the member regretted that there had been even a suggestion of not holding the regular Agricultural Show in Victoria. It was the most important factor in creating interest and rendering assistance to the farmers.

Rely On Country.

"Our entire prosperity rests upon the rural districts. First and foremost we must have a good agricultural population. It is the breeding ground of good citizenship," declared M. B. Jackson, M. P. P., who gave a very forcible address.

"Twenty-five years ago Saanich Peninsula produced more agricultural produce than the whole island, including Saanich now produces," he said.

"There is something wrong," continued Mr. Jackson, who went on to say that while the tourist traffic was a good thing and a certain amount of the tourist travel would result in the country getting settlers still there were more immediate matters of importance to consider, and one of them was the assurance of a steady and favorable market for the produce growing in the country.

Mr. Jackson advised that the goods at agricultural fairs might go further and in judging stock and produce they should inform the farmers what was wrong in each case, and what should be done to rectify matters.

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